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TAGS: UR CDES (GRIMES, GEORGE)

SUBJECT: REPORT OF DEATH: GEORGE GRIMES

REF: MOSCOW 1294

1. IN EXPLAINING DELAY IN PROVIDING GRIMES DEATH REPORT EMBASSY INFORMED DEPT THAT IT HAD SENT LETTER JAN 24 TO TYRNYAUZ ZAGS REQUESTING NECESSARY INFORMATION (PARA 7, REFTEL). WHEN CONSOFF WAS AT MFA FEB 8 ON OTHER BUSINESS, SOVIET OFFICIAL (WITH WHOM WE HAVE NOT DISCUSSED THIS CASE) PRODUCED STATEMENT ON STATIONERY OF PRESIDUM OF TYRNYAUZ SOVIET TO EFFECT THAT DEATH CERTIFICATE HAD ALREADY BEEN SENT TO INTOURIST MOSCOW DECEMBER 18. (SOVIET OFFICIAL WOULD NOT LET CONSOFF READ LETTER BUT SHOWED LETTERHEAD AND SUMMARIZED IT. EVIDENTLY TYRNYAUZ ZAGS RECEIVED EMBASSY LETTER AND INSTEAD OF REPLYING DIRECTLY DECIDED TO HAVE MFA PROVIDE ANSWER.)

2. EMBASSY PLANS APPROACH INTOURIST PROTOCOL DIVISION (SIMCHENKO) AGAIN, NOW THAT IT APPEARS HIS OFFICE IS HOLDING THE AUTHENTIC, CORRECT DEATH CERTIFICATE. HAS DEPT INQUIRED ABOUT RECOVERING THE ORIGINAL OF THE INCORRECT CERTIFICATE FROM THE GRIMES FAMILY?

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